

**Response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
Expedited Procedure  
Examining Group 2811**

PATENT  
ATTORNEY DOCKET: 46884-5451

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
	)	
Katsumi SHIBAYAMA	)	Confirmation No.: 8454
	)	
Application No.: 10/565,945	)	Group Art Unit: 2811
	)	
Filed: April 17, 2006	)	Examiner: Cathy N. Lam
	)	
For: BACKSIDE-ILLUMINATED	)	
PHOTODETECTOR	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
**Customer Window, Mail Stop AF**  
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

In response to the Final Office Action dated April 28, 2009, the period for response to which runs through July 28, 2009, entry of the following amendments is respectfully requested to place the application in clear condition for allowance or, alternatively, in better form for appeal: